PRESBYTERIANS O. K.

WILSON DEFENCE PLAN

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Nov. 12 .-

is to make each of the million and a half Presbyterians in the United

States active financial and moral

supporters of the proposed campaign to make America spiritually as well

as commercially and financially the centre of the world at the conclusion of the conflict abroad.

To take up this matter and carry it through the commission appointed

a committee composed of the Rev. J.

Ross Stevenson of Princeton, the Rev. Maitland Alexander of Pitts-

burg, the Rev. Timothy Stone of

Chicago, the Rev. John Dixon of

New York, the Rev. R. C. Hughes of

Philadelphia, Charles S. Cairns of

Minneapolis and Benjamin F. Ed-

"The military plans of the Administration are on a level with plans for the New York Fire Department which should provide only for second story hose; they go on the theory that it is desirable to try to put out a fire a little, but not too much. Now, it is always

wise either to let a fire alone or to deal with it thoroughly.

"It seems literally incredible that any

ke the action this year, not the year ter next. Do it now.
"As regards the army, first and fore-

most let us have the plan of the Gen-eral Staff made public. Let us know the advice of the experts. Then pro-

the advice of the experts. Then provide a regular army of a quarter of a million men. Relatively to the nation this army would be no larger than the New York police force is relatively to the city of New York. Provide a real reserve of enlisted men. Provide as many officers, active and reserve taken together, as will enable us to officer a million and a half of men in the event of war. Meanwhile do everything nos-

of war. Meanwhile do everything pos-sible for the National Guard, providing the necessary Federal control to make it really efficient; and provide for many

training camps like that at Platisburg.

wards of St. Louis.

WILSON CALLS G.O. P. TO HELP DEFENCE PLAN

Invites Republican Congress Leaders to Confer on Beating Bryan Wing.

ANXIOUS TO COMBAT PARTY DEFECTION

announced to-day that President invite the Republican of Congress to confer with him
Administration's defence prospeak, in advocating that:
"Those fit for physical service should" en the Administration's defence pro-

ent's intention to seek Repullican support to fill the gap in event of Demo-It also probably President will not at-

najority leader, and other have indicated that they

Friends of Mr. Bryan have already quiet investigation as to the he House on the defence issue and are nvinced that the opposition to the

s, in their ability to throw national situation into de

referred to as a bid for Republi-apport of his programme. They ad that Mr. Wilson is only followner conferences with Republi-merely a matter of form, no doubt that the thought

tually no difficulty in getting an support for the defence as the members of the party regard the preparedness mocratic party's. It is not so ough that Republicans, if they balance of power, may not acceptance of some details of n making. Confidence is asligger army and navy programme

The high percentage of taxes il go to the support of the army after the adoption of the Ad-

world and that American minitary force any of a per the adoption of the Addition programme, it is said, has been realized by the people, but it is certain that a big of the agritation against the deproblem.

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The treative of the arms and it is speeches has laid stress upon the view programme is militaristic and its a policy which may lead the states away from its ideals of other opponents, however, are distic. They make no secret of that the big consideration in make its the great expense of intake the big consideration in the army and navy to the points of that the big consideration in the army and navy to the points of raising the money without new forms of taxation.

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N. Nov. 11.—Demands that at once publish the

etters are signed by Cushing War.
Cretary of the American De-

UNION LEAGUE CALLS FOR INCREASE ARMY TO EVERY ABLE BODIED MAN

Adopts Report of Committee on Defence Urging That All Be Held for Military Service in Person

The Union League Club adopted the principle at the present time to the CALLS WILSON TOO MILD report of its committee on national de-fence last night, urging that every able-bodied man should be that every ablebodied man should be held to military service in person or by the payment of money. Following the adoption of this report several hundred members of the Club listened to their president, Senator Elihu Root, deliver a strong plea for adequate preparation, in introducing Henry Date of the States and Territories.

"As a minimum, the policy of the Gendral Board of the Navy as set forth on pages 31 and 32 of the annual report of the Navy Department for 1913, calling for a fleet of forty-eight ships of the first line in 1920, together with the men and equipment and attendant smaller units necessary. bodied man should be held to military quate preparation, in introducing Henry D. Estabrook, the principal speaker of

stand on national defence that attracted most interest at the monthly meeting, for this club, founded in civil war time,

be held thereto, and those not beholden to such service should supply the necessary funds for the expenditures incidental to such military defence, both classes giv-ing their time to the purpose of military preparedness, the one by his personal service free of compensation, the other by a payment of money earned during the time he would, if physically able, have been obliged to serve, and which would be devoted solely to maintaining the services of the army and nave." ing the services of the army and navy."

The report, after regretting that the a preliminary report issued in January, after intimating that German officers have been confident that their nation could defeat the United States, and after pointing out the need for defence and discussing the Swiss and Australian military systems, came to its resolution of

In pointing out the reasons for the resolution it declared:

diture of \$600,000,000 for naval con-struction, but making no satisfactory provision for manning to the full the The opposition therefore will be in an exceedingly strong position should the exceed the exceedingly and the exceedingly strong position should the exceedingly strong position should the exceedingly strong positio

"The principle of universal military service by the entire manhood of the country; either personal service with should forgive and forget and join with the colors on the part of those physically Progressives to bring back a Republican plan for defence instead of a shadow fit, as provided for both in the Federal President to the country. He touched programme.

"During the last three years our navy "During the last three years our navy"

250,000, SAYS T. R.

Would Make Navy Second in World in Point of Size and Efficiency.

"And that this club now pledges itself to lend its full support and aid to the carrying out of these principles and the navies of the world and the increase of the army 'to at least a

The members of the committee were Christopher R. Corning, Col. Thomas Dimond and Major Harrison K. Bird.

"I assume that the club, which had its origin in the dire necessity of the protection of the union of these States ago, "but sincerely regrets that he is not prepared to present a real and substantial plan for defence instead of a shadow programme."

a shadow programme."

Senator Root, who presided, "will have but one opinion and one feeling concerning the protection of this country against external aggression. Of course, this great republic, proud of its capacity for self-government, with its mission of liberty and justice to the world, must be erty and justice to the world, must be able to protect itself and to protect its

The flation which cannot and will not do that can neither have respect abroad nor self-respect at home. We have long known that we were not prepared to protect our liberty and the rights of our citizens if they were attention is in this paragraph:

"I very earnestly hope that the ordinary citizens of this country, since their official leaders refuse to lead them, their official leaders refuse to lead them, will themselves wake to their own needs

Col. Roosevelt's article follows our liberty means a vast expenditure, but it means more than that; it means a at least a quarter of a million men, with willingness for self-sacrifice, a spirit an ample reserve of men who could be made for many times the present num-ber of officers; and in administration, provision made for a combination of army' of 600,000 men, is patently insufficient to meet the possibilities of our exposed situation, involving as they do the feasibility of attack on two fronts by two or more of the nations most efficient in modern warfare.

"Whereas also, the cost of any sufficience of the land and to make a sacrifice of means and to make the present number of officers; and in administration, provision made for a combination of entire efficiency with rigid economy that will begin with the abandonment of the many useless army posts and navy

Narrow Democratic Control.

Apart from this, however, it is pointed out that if the Bryan "little have completely wiped out the Democratic House majority, which was so depleted in the Congressional elections of 1913 and 1915 that it now numbers a mere twenty-five votes.

Friends of the President indicated to-day that they disliked to have his plan for conferring with the Republican leaders referred to as a bid for Republican service by the entire manhood of the large of the nations most efficient in modern warfare.

Whereas also, the cost of any sufficient force on the present or recent proposed basis of enlistment and pay proposed

it formerly was in five years time substantial action in the present.

interest against foreign foes. But I no less sincerely regret that he has not thought out the situation and is not pre-

fit, as provided for both in the Federal Constitution of the State of New York, or else by financial contributions from those unable to serve in person, to be applicable solely to the military and naval services of the country.

President to the country. He touched on President Wilson, too.

"To say that we are too proud to fight in self-defence," he said, "is, with all respect to the estimable but mistaken gentleman who said it, absurd and puerlie, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence," he said it, absurd and puerlie, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, are too proud to fight in self-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad to note that he himself-defence, and I am giad t in reality, therefore, is adroit method of avoiding

repeatedly that he realizes he is minority in the House. Some of opponents, however, profess to be that a change of sentiment among one and in Congress may eventually lead that will eventually lead to disastrous wars that will "Prussanize" American eivillization, say of the country. It would put a business premium on the unpatriotic employer, who would not permit his men to take that will eventually lead through other defence res.

Some and in their ow ought to be immediately met. Ultimately, however, I believe with all my district, appointing a captain over each interests and in the lowest of the existing No. The existing No. The standard of eventually useless from that a change of sentiment among opponents, however, profess to be that a change of sentiment among one our foreign policies, is a misstant and content and district, appointing a captain over each interests and in their own of the existing No. The existing No. The plan contemplates dividing Manhattan into Assembly district, appointing a captain over each interests and in their own of the existing No. The content to district and getting as many voters as possible to fill out blanks urging their opposition. The plan contemplated that will eventually lead the United States into district and getting as many voters as possible to fill out blanks urging their oppositions of the country. It would put a business premium on the unpatriotic of the country. It would put a business premium on the unpatriotic of the country. It would put a business premium on the unpatriotic of the country. It would put a business premium of the profit of the country. It would put a business premium of the

Rapid growth of Foreign Business of Irving National Bank

The Irving National Bank has, for many years, kept in touch with all commercial centers of the world.

Officers of this bank have become personally acquainted with many of the executives of its foreign correspondents and obtain through them an intimate knowledge of con-

Instituted primarily to increase the usefulness of the bank to its customers, the service of the Irving's Foreign Department has by its efficiency developed an extensive international business.

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RVING NATIONAL BANK WOOLWORTH BUILDING, NEW YOR

WILLETT REVEALS SING SING BRAWLS

Presbyterian General Assembly, in session here, went on record this af-More Convicts to Testify as ternoon in indorsing the defence programme recently outlined by Presi-Result of His Evidence They also approved the plan which

the New York Fire Department—the wisdom of such a proposal being about on a par with the wisdom of the attitude of the professional pacifists, as regards what they are pleased to call 'militarism.' writs and procuring convict testimony that may lead to the first of a series of passages at arms between Mr. Osborne and District Attorney Weeks which Yet it would not be materially less wise than a proposal to compromise by, on the one hand, having fire engines, but, on the other hand, not fitting them to throw a stream of water higher than the speed story.

Harvey, who testified yesterday, was taken from Sing Sing. In the writ the State of New York was referred to as omplaining and Harvey as defendant,
"What is Mr. Weeks trying to get at?",
sked Mr. Merchant, "By bringing Harvey to testify in that manner he has automatically guaranteed him immunity. Harvey is accused of one of the assaults they are investigating. The investigation won't get anywhere at that rate. Why not let Mr. Osborne testify?

Result of His Evidence
at Inquiry.

OSBORNE AIDS LAWYER

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Nov. 11.—Ext
Congressman William Willett, District
Attorney Weeks's star witness, was on the stand two hours to-day before the state of discipline and other features of life in Sing Sing under Warden Osborne, and the Mutual Welfare League.

So important was Willett testimony regarding the various cases of assault wad immorally tried in the league court when he was judge before his transfer to Great Maedow that Mr. Weeks got from Justice Morsechauser a habeas corpus with previous ones. Mr. Osborne's attorney, had something to say to-day about the manner of issuing these writs and procuring convict testimony that may lead to the first of a series of passages at arms between Mr. Osborne's and District Attorney Weeks's as ago after some sort of districts and procuring convict testimony that may lead to the first of a series of passages at arms between Mr. Osborne helives the many have predicted would enliven the limited once in the league of the state of discipline and other features of life in Sing Sing under Warden Osborne, and the Mutual Welfare League.

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wording of the writ on which James Sing Sing. Joseph Rotolia, who also Harvey, who testified yesterday, was testified to-day, probably will finish

WHITMAN'S HANDS OFF. Makes It Plain He Will Not Interfere With Inquiry. !

promised to-day to give a hearing any time next week to the Prison Reform League of New York relative to the

passages at arms between Mr. Osborne and District Attorney Weeks which many have predicted would enliven the inquiry.

Mr. Weeks and White were in consultation this morning. Mr. Weeks whether he had subspensed White or whether he was consulted regarding industrial records of these products can be raised.

Saks & Company

Broadway at 34th Street

A few remarks about Saks Suits and Overcoats at \$20, \$23 and \$25

> For Men and Young Men who are interested in something more than the mere recital of fabrics and models

A clothing shop may get blue in the face advertising the beauty of its blue overcoatings, but that doesn't prove that its overcoats have style.

¶ Practically all clothing shops can show you a line of striped suitings in \$20, \$23 and \$25 suits, but a suiting is only a suiting, not a suit.

¶ At \$20, \$23 and \$25 we ourselves can show you all the suit and overcoat fabrics worth having, but that is only the beginning of the story.

It isn't raw materials you want, but the refined details of Saks tailoring, the choice patterns and colorings of Saks selections, the irresistible beauty of Saks models, and the exquisite finish of Saks interiors.

These also are details, but they are tremendous details -they are everything in clothes - and it is because of these qualities that a popular price at Saks is not the stigma of cheapness, but the insignia of character and style.

A special disposal, today and tomorrow, of

Men's Soft Hats at \$1.45 Reduced from \$3.00

Every hat perfect and in a prevailing style. Black. blue, brown, green or Oxford. All sizes.

Men's Derby Hats special at \$1.95

In frankness we say that they are "seconds," but equal frankness demands the statement that they are only "seconds" because of a very critical manufacturer's rule. Careful inspection indeed is required to reveal the defect, which in no way affects appearance or wear.

Genuine Austrian Velour Hats, \$4.95

A very special price for a very remarkable group of hats. A fine assortment of colors.

A Special Offering for Men of large proportions in these

Medium Weight Merino Worsted Shirts & Drawers at 69c

regularly \$1.00 and \$1.25

In sizes 44, 46, 48 and 50; a few in 40 and 42. An incomplete range of stock which cannot be duplicated, and hence is to be disposed of at once at the special price.

Men's Worsted Union Suits at \\$1.55

Our regular stock Price, \$2.00

About 75% wool, assuring warmth without thickness and weight. A complete range, and perfect fit assured.

Men's Full-fashioned Pure Silk Thread Hose; Seamless, Two-toned thread Silk Hose; and Full-fashioned plaited SPECIAL AT Silk Hose Our regular stock price 50c a pair.

pairs

to the Administration.

Danlels and Secretary Gar-

or by Money Payment.

by arms against internal rebellion

"The war in Europe is not the cause

war in Europe is but the demonstration

striking the imagination and convincing the judgment of the people of the United

States upon the necessity for adequate

equate preparation for preservation of

preparation for defence.
"Do not let us deceive ourselves

But it was the Union League Club's

Reasons Set Forth. Government has done nothing to remedy the defenceless state of the country since

"The Administration programme as recently set forth, proposing an expen-

ANGELL FORESEES

'PRUSSIANIZED' U. S.

English Author Tells Woman's special Relief Society Will Peace Party Policy of Arm-

t now given to the President's ness seem to imply that the American policy in no way touches the rest of the world and that American military force ter the adoption of the Ad-programme, it is said, has atory raids upon American territory."

ment of her citizens in the United States per that Representative Mann of Illinois, numority leader of the House, will also be called into conference by the President.

EXPERT VIEWS SOUGHT.

American Defence Society Appeals to the Administration.

in some way.'

Germany, Japan and Russia.

from its New York headquardetailed information as to mendations of the navy's Gendal and the army's General society believes that "intelecussion of the question of fence is impossible."

Tolego, Nov. 11.—"If the central Powers succeed there will be an alliance between Germany, Japan and Russia," said Dr. Horace N. Allen, Toledo, former United States Minister to Corea, in un address before the Commerce Club to-day. His topic was "Corea and the Relation of the Far East to the Present War."

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DEFENCE CAMPAIGN PLANNED.

meeting of the Special Relief Society

the campaign; Dudley Davis of the

SING SING ALUMNUS QUITS JAIL. sawed Bar and Homemade Rope

Tell the Story. New Orleans, Nov. 11.—Chester Yates, alias Charles A. Stone, who left Sing Sing prison in December, 1912, owing the State a twenty-one year sentence for highway robbery, escaped to-day from the parish prison here, fol-lowing his arrest on October 31. He sawed a bar in the window of the ho pital ward on the third floor, squeezed through a hole 6½ by 13 inches, climbed down a rope made of twine to a partition ten feet below and then dropped to the ground outside the prison. A wallthe ground outside the prison. A wait-ing taxical carried him away and he is

ow at large. The police declare that Dorothy Gray, a young woman under bond for trial on the charge of being an associate of thieves, aided Yates in his escape. She had lived with Yates in this city for eight moraths betters his arrest.

SING SING ESCAPE THWARTED. Mutual Welfare Leaguer's Secret

Disclosed by Warden's Friend. Ossining, Nov. 11.—Suspected of plot-ting to escape, Anthony De Lara, a Mutual Welfare League leader serving a life sentence in Sing Sing prison, it was announced to-day, is locked up in

fear that you may use that power to exact commercial preference in those immense territories or to exclude them in the official explanation of De Lara's suspension from privileges of the league is that contraband was found upon him. It was learned, however, from an author actions on national preparedto the Navy and War depart
SEES ALLIANCE AGAINST U. S. with street clothes in his possession. He the official experts were exo-day to President Wilson,
Dandels and Sacratary (Son,

PRISON INMATE WEDS. Welfare Leaguer Bridegroom-Prisoners See Tennis Match.

OSSINING, N. Y., Nov. 11 .- With a wedding ceremony in Sing Sing prison and an exhibition of tennis playing by champions from outside, the Mutual